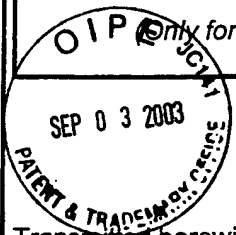


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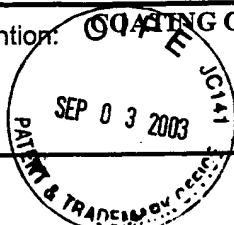

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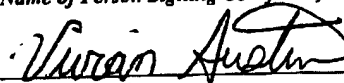
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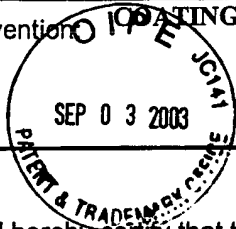
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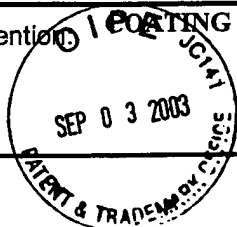
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REMARKS

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Applicants' representative spoke with the Office of Initial Patent Examination on September 3, 2003 and was informed that a notice would be sent out, but no timing as to the notice was mentioned. This LETTER and the accompanying documents are being sent in anticipation of such notice.

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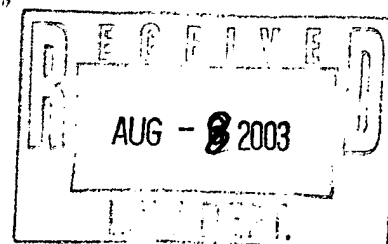
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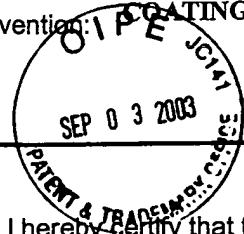
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